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Inventor: Michael WEINER, et al.

Application No.: 10/077,958 Group Art Unit: 3762
Filed: February 19, 2002 Examiner: S. Getzow

Title: ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE IMMUNE TISSUE INVASIVE SYSTEM

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APPLICATION FOR PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT INCLUDING REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT INDICATED IN NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE (37 CFR § 1.705)

Sir:

This is a request for reconsideration of the patent term adjustment of 399 days indicated in the Determination of Patent Term Adjustment Under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b) that was attached to the Notice of Allowance mailed on June 4, 2004. It is respectfully requested that Applicants be afforded a patent term adjustment of 412 days.

The issue fee has not yet been paid.

Applicants submit herewith a "Statement of the Correct Patent Term Adjustment: Basis Under § 1.702 For the Adjustment – Part B." (37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (i) and (ii)).

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Any patent granted on this application (37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (iii)) is not subject to a terminal disclaimer.

As to any circumstances during the prosecution of this application constituting a failure to engage in reasonable efforts to conclude processing or examination of the above-identified patent application as set forth in § 1.704 (37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (iv)): there was none (37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (iv) (B)).

The fee set forth in § 1.18 (e) (\$200), required by 37 C.F.R. 1.705 (b) (2) is paid as follows: Please charge our Deposit Account 50-2737 for the amount of \$200.00. Authorization is given to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 50-2737.

Respectfully submitted,

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STATEMENT OF THE CORRECT PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT: BASIS UNDER § 1.702 FOR THE ADJUSTMENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (i) AND (ii))

Sir:

This statement is being submitted in support of the "APPLICATION FOR PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT INCLUDING REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT INDICATED IN NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE (37 CFR §1.705)" to which this statement is attached.

37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (i)

The patent term adjustment on the Determination of Patent Term Adjustment Under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b) that was attached to the Notice of Allowance is 399 days. This determination of 399 days is an error, due to improper "Palm" entries by the USPTO which resulted in an erroneous applicant delay ("APPL") of 13 days. It is respectfully submitted that the correct patent term adjustment under § 1.702 is 412 days.

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37 C.F.R. § 1.705 (b) (2) (ii)

The basis on which applicants seek adjustment are as follows:

- (1) Adjustment is sought for the following date: June 27, 2002 (satisfying the requirement under 35 USC 115 of an Oath or Declaration);
 - (2) Adjustment to be made for this date: June 5, 2002; and
- (3) Basis: Applicants' Declaration was filed, via Express Mail, on June 5, 2002.

The factual basis for the above adjustment follows.

A Post-Filed Continuation Declaration and Power of Attorney and with a copy of "Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application" were filed on June 5, 2002, as evidenced by the enclosed copy of the postcard receipt therefor.

The June 27, 2002 date for the filing of a proper oath of the Patent Term Adjustment History for application Serial No. 10/077,958 (a copy of which is enclosed) is thus an error. The correct date is June 5, 2002.

The application was thus complete on June 5, 2002, not on June 27, 2002, as erroneously indicated on the Patent Term Adjustment History.

The USPTO delay of 412 days set forth on the enclosed Patent Term Adjustment History is thus the patent term adjustment to which the applicants are entitled.

Respectfully submitted.

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Copy of the Patent Term Adjustment History for application

Serial No. 10/077,958

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